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ALL persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate settlement, and all persons having legal claims against the said estate are requested to present the same in proper form, without delay, for settlement, to

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News of the County

Special Correspondence from Near-by Towns.

DOYLESTOWN.

Even Republicans will be glad to know that the unfortunate Democratic party claims to have a candidate for Sheriff. That the Democrats profess to believe that they have a winner is all the better, for it will serve to put a little more life into what would otherwise be a very slow campaign. The gentleman who will take up the fight for the office of Sheriff is W. Harry Smith, High Constable of Doylestown and tipstaff of the court. Mr. Smith would hardly be able to secure a nomination of this character were it not for the fact that things are in such very bad shape with his party, but he has shown considerable ability as a ward politician, and has quite a following in Doylestown borough. It is said that Smith feels that he has a winning chance, viewing the situation this far ahead. If he concludes to stay in the race he will make quite an aggressive canvass, and devote his attention to capturing what his friends describe as the "floating vote" of the county. They claim that by assiduous labor and the expenditure of some money the Doylestown Constable can make it quite interesting for his opponent. There is no doubt but that Mr Smith could get up a pretty good gait in Doylestown borough on the lines suggested, but when it comes to the whole county things would be different. Republicans here are not very badly frightened over the floating vote bugaboo. A bit of interesting news in connection with his candidacy is the report that Judge Yerkes regards him as the most available candidate among the Democrats willing to take chances of defeat. In the meantime Constable Smith is keeping up a winning smile, and most any day may be seen with a half dozen or more friends chatting about his candidacy. Personally the Constable has a great many friends in the borough, but he has been informed by some of them that they will be obliged to draw the line when it comes to a county office. Should the horizon suddenly darken Constable Smith would probably pull out of the race and refer to his campaign thus far as a joke, but in case he decides to make a fight he will fight hard, but, as already stated, his easiest work would be in Doylestown borough. The party organ, the Democrat, has another candidate announced in addition to Smith and the many candidates for County Commissioner. He is Elmer E. Stout, of Wrightstown, candidate for Clerk of the Quarter Sessions. Candidates for the other offices have not yet turned up, notwithstanding the hard search for them, particularly for the Recorder nomination.

Republican aspirants for office have pretty generally adopted the GAZETTE'S suggestion made last year in relation to publishing their cards in party papers, which gives authentic notice to the public that they are really candidates for office. The names thus announced up to date are as follows: For Sheriff, Joseph G Preston, Solebury; B. Frank Hobensack, Warminster. For Recorder, C. C. B. John, New Hope; Burroughs Michener, Buckingham. For Clerk of the Orphans' Court, Harry E. Hallman, Milford. For Clerk of the Quarter Sessions, Charles Thatcher, Haycock. For County Commissioner, J. Y. Leatherman, Bedminster; Allen B. Eckert, Bensalem, Edmud Wright, Morrisville; Adam Martin, Warrington; Jacob. R Lear, Plumstead. Those recently announced are Mr. John, for Recorder, and Mr. Thatcher, for Quarter Sessions Clerk. Mr. John was a candidate last year for County Treasurer, and is well known to the residents of the lower end. Mr. Thatcher is a farmer, son of ex-Prothonotary Samuel B Thatcher, and a new figure in county politics. He comes from a district that has always stood by the party to a man, and his friends and neighbors feel that it is time Haycock was accorded recognition for her loyalty. Hence Mr. Thatcher's candidacy. Mr. Thatcher is well and favorably known in his own district and vicinity as an active and staunch Republican, but has never sought a county office before.

It is no longer safe to predict when Bristol and Doylestown will be connected by trolley, which means the completion of the Newtown road, but this is not the fault of the enterprising citizens who are engaged in constructing that railway, for they have had bad luck in some instances. It is now declared, however, that it will be but a few weeks before cars will run to Doylestown. The public is quite anxious to witness the completion of the line, and for some time thereafter business will be brisk, as a trip to Newtown will be one of the treats many people will indulge in. In the meantime the Quakertown Traction Company is also pushing along. On Saturday 48 releases of right of way were filed in Recorder Wright's office. They were obtained from property holders in Richland, Springfield and Milford.

Not until the beginning of this week did Republicans here evince much interest in the State convention, but they suddenly realized that this event was about to take place, and as a consequence, the county seat is pretty well represented at Harrisburg today.

LOWER BENSALEM.

Miss Belle Mooney has been visiting Miss A. Reynolds for a few days.

Mrs. Peters and daughter, of Philadelphia, are spending the summer at Croydon.

Mrs. G. W. Sipler and Miss Vansant were at Ocean City and Atlantic City two days of last week.

Miss Paist has returned to the University Hospital, where she is studying for the profession of nurse.

Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Warden, of Millersville, have been sojourning at Atlantic City, and are now the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paist.

Among the congregation at the Eddington Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning were Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Warden, of Millersville, and Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Simons, of Wartordsburg, Pa.

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TULLYTOWN.

The musical and literary entertainment by Ketoowah Tribe, I. O. R. M., was given in Red Men's Hall on Saturday evening. In spite of the extreme heat an audience of over three hundred and seventy-five persons listened attentively to a programme two hours and a half in length, which was as follows: Chorus, "When Dewey Comes Sailing Home," members of Tribe; piano solo, Miss Florence White; recitation, "The Face Upon the Floor," G. P. Chamberlain; solo, selected, Miss Marion Berger; violin solo, "Angels' Serenade," Headley Woolston; "You've Done Cooked Your Goose with Me," Taylor and Griffins; piano solo, "Soldiers' Joy," Miss Florence Simpson; buck and wing dance, W. Henderson, champion of New Jersey; recitation, Miss Rose Wright; piano solo, Miss Florence White; solo, "Among the Green Fields of Virginia," W. H. Green; recitation, "Jimmie Butler and the Owl," C. M. Mannington; soprano solo, violin obligato, "Waiting," Miss Marion Berger; dance, George Dickel; quartette, Messrs. W. Totell, F. P. Rees, A. E. Harrison, J. H. Rees; violin solo, Headley Woolston; "Good Old Georgia," Taylor and Griffins; music, Misses N. Starkey and J. Bobb.

"A GIRL OF THE CENTURY."

Sampson Axle, the Village Blacksmith, not Henry Irving; Josiah, his Apprentice, not Nat Goodwin; Mrs. Axle, a Meek Little Woman, not Maud Adams; Mary Axle, Just Returned From College, not May Irwin; Charles Scraggs, the Squire's only Son, not James Jeffries; Dusty Rhodes, a Tramp, not W. K Vanderbilt; Bella, a Village Beauty, not Lillian Russel; Village Girls and Boys, not Millionaires.

The general excellence of the programme forbids the singling out of individual performances, and the entertainers succeeded one another without any vexatious waits.

Part III, "A Girl of the Century," was unique in that the entire cast was made up of members of the Tribe, and while the female impersonators made up as rather robust women and girls, the drama was well received and closed one of the most successful entertainments ever given here. The entertainment committee is assured that the net profits will be about sixty dollars.

To the large number of his friends, the news of James Leigh's death was quite a surprise; for while Mr. Leigh has been for years in very poor health, his early demise was not expected. He had just arrived at his brother's, William Leigh's, for a visit. Mr. Leigh was the son of Mrs. Louise Leigh, of Fallsington, and had a very large circle of friends who greatly admired the fortitude and resignation with which for nineteen years he bore ill health with little, if any hope of recovery. Mr. Leigh was taken seriously ill about 3 o'clock on Sunday morning and died within three hours. The funeral services were held from the residence of his brother, William Leigh, on Wednesday, August 23, at 2 p. m.

The William Penn Mutual Building and Loan Association met last Monday evening in the office of Henry Lovett. The annual report which was distributed showed a healthy condition of the finances. It was decided to hold the meetings at Mr. Lovett's office during the ensuing year, the association to pay $24 00 annual rental. At the election of officers and directors the retiring members were re-elected with the exception of solicitor. Henry Lovett was elected solicitor.

Horace H. Burton has returned home from New York City, where he has been taking a course in voice culture. Mr. Burton is very much pleased with the system taught and feels very much benefited by his studies. Mrs. Estelle Shively Davis, the popular elocutionist, is a teacher in the school which Mr. Burton attended, and this speaks volumes for the school.

Miss Rachel Carter had her right arm injured by the breaking of one of the horses on the carousal at College Park last Thursday. Miss Carter's arm is doing nicely and her friends hope that she will soon be in her usual good health.

Adam Martin, candidate for County Commissioner on the Republican ticket, was around among his Tullytown friends during the past week. Mr. Martin's friends feel assured that Tullytown will be for him in the convention.

At the Christian church next Sunday morning the topic of the pastor, Rev. William J. Wright, will be "The Teacher from Jerusalem," and in the evening "The Night of Miracles on the Lake of Genesaret."

Rev. Oscar Randall, of Yardley, will preach at the M. E. church next Sunday morning and evening, as the pastor, Rev Francis Hawke, is at Ocean Grove on his vacation trip.

Mrs. Harry Shafto, of Asbury Park, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mannington at their home on Fallsington avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lovett, of Southbridge, Mass., are visiting Mr. Lovett's mother, Mrs. Michael Zehner, on Main street.

Mrs F. S. Hogeland, with her mother, Mrs. Knowles, of Morrisville, is spending the present week at Ocean Grove.

Miss Ethel Bennett, of Philadelphia, was the guest of Mrs. Stanfield Smith from Friday to Sunday of the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Birch and daughter, Helen, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mr. Birch's sister, Mrs. C. H. Read.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Wagenknight, of Lansdowne, were visiting Mrs. A. R. Wagenknight on Sunday last.

Henry Lovett and Harry Moon were business visitors in Philadelphia on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. S. Hawke, of Bristol, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Briggs during part of last week.

Mrs. Estelle Shively Davis, of New York City, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. John Burton.

Dr. C. H. Read is visiting his sister, Mrs. Cornish, at Bayonne, N. J.

Mrs. John Windle, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mrs. Elmer E. Johnson, on Main street.

Mrs. Rebecca Vaughn, of Philadelphia, is visiting her cousin, Charles Carter, of this place.

Miss Mattie Read, of Kane, Pa., was the guest of her cousin, Dr. C. H. Read, last week.

Miss Marion Burger, of Philadelphia, is visiting Mrs. Stanfield Smith, of this borough.

Edgar Johnson, of Mount Holly, N. J., is visiting his cousin, Elmer E. Johnson.

MORRISVILLE.

George Harrison, of Hulmeville, was a visitor here on Tuesday last.

Miss Sarah Eastburn, of Bridge street, is visiting friends in Lahaska.

Walter Howell, of Smith street, visited friends in Fallsington on Tuesday last.

Harry Spencer, of Oxford Valley, visited friends in this place on Wednesday last.

Miss Sadie Consully, of Bridge street, is enjoying the ocean breezes at Long Branch.

Mrs. Emory Cox, of Mill street, is spending a few days as the guest of her sister at Scranton.

Joseph Buckman, of Smith street, has returned home after a three weeks' visit at Sea Girt, N. J.

Burgess B. F. Ettinger, of Wood street, is able to attend to his business again after a few days' illness.

Tinsmith Thomas Purvis, of Smith street, spent Sunday last with his family, who are summering at Asbury Park.

George Garside, of Bridge street is spending a week's vacation enjoying the sea breezes at Atlantic City.

John Mason, the well-known blacksmith of Maple street, left today for a trip up the Hudson river to Newburg, N. Y.

Robert, the young son of Captain Thomas B. Stockham, of Green street, is able to be about again after a slight illness.

Mrs. Frank Smith and son, Frank, Jr., of Crown street, have returned home after a week's visit to relatives in Bristol.

Miss Minnie Blood, of Philadelphia, is spending a few days here as the guest of Mrs. James McGarrity, of Crown street.

Herbert Slack and wife, of Trenton, spent Sunday last with Mrs. Slack's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Bevins, of Smith street.

Marshall Black, of Columbia, is spending a few days here as the guest of his aunt, Mrs. John Robbins, of Washington and streets.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Cox and son, Roy, of Smith street, have returned home after a very pleasant week's sojourn at Atantic City.

Edward Oeser and wife, of Trenton, are making a very pleasant stay here as the guests of Mrs. Oeser's uncle, Edward Mason, of Maple street.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company now has a number of carpenters at work repairing the boardwalk opposite the passenger station here.

Miss Edna and Master Harry Crozer, daughter and son of Grocer H. R. A. Crozer, of Bridge street, are spending a few weeks with their cousins at Wyncote.

Rev. Robert E. Hetherington and wife, of North Wales, are visitors at the home of Mrs. Hetherington's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Taylor, of Washington street.

Workmen are busily engaged in tearing down the ruins of the old Grove House here. Some of the stone walls are so solid that the men are compelled to use dynamite to loosen them.

William and Wesley Foster, who are employed as firemen on the Pennsylvania railroad, are enjoying their vacation at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Foster, of Philadelphia avenue.

The dwellings of James B. Howell and Dr. William H. Fox, of Smith street, are being beautified by the addition of a new coat of paint. Contractor William Gillin, of Upper Smith street, is doing the work.

Rev. C. P Glover, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Penn Valley, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian Church here on Sunday morning and evening last in the absence of its pastor, Rev. J. R Sanson.

Twenty men began work on Wednesday picking tomatoes from the farm of Gershom Howell, near this place, which are to be canned at Mr. Howell's canning factory here. A new boiler has been placed in the factory and work will begin there at once.

The main shaft of the tin roll in the stock room of the comb department at the works of the Goodyear Vulcanite Co. broke down on Monday morning last, causing a temporary lay-off. Work will be resumed again in that department on Monday next.

Clifford Richards, son of William Richards, of Mill street, who died at his late residence in Chestnut Hill, near Philadelphia, on Wednesday, was buried at Westport, Conn., on Sunday last. Only the immediate family accompanied the remains to the burial ground.

Mrs. Skinner, an aged colored lady, who resides with her son, Randolph, near the Upper Delaware bridge, was overcome with the heat while walking along Smith street on Monday morning last. Willing hands assisted her to the home of William Perry, on Smith street, where she rested until later in the day, after which she was conveyed in a carriage to the home of her son.

Morrisville defeated the strong Y. M. C. A. team, of Trenton, before the smallest crowd that has ever witnessed a game between these two great rival teams, there being barely 900 spectators present. This game was the first of a series of three for the handsome Gunson cup. The features of the game was the batting of Brooks, Vandegrift, Travis, Foster and Young, and the fielding of O. Justice, Travis, and Wright for the home team. For the Y. M. C. A. team the fast fielding of McAvoy at centre field is deserving of special mention. Score, Morrisville, 11; Y. M. C. A., 3. Umpire, Mr. Grady, of Philadelphia. Morrisville will have as their opponents at the home grounds on Tuesday afternoon next the 29th inst. the strong Cuban-X-Giants. Dick Seeds and Vandegrift will be in the points for the home team.

PENN'S MANOR.

William B. Irvins was a visitor in the Manor last week.

John Stinson finished housing his tobacco on Tuesday last. It was very fine.

Mrs. S. Stokes has been quite ill for a week past, but is able to be about again.

John Grant and family, of Penn Valley, were visiting some of their old friends here on Sunday.

Some of the relatives of Mrs. James Stinson from Philadelphia are paying her an extended visit.

The farmers around here are beginning to dig their potatoes, but they don't yield as well as was expected.

The school childrens' vacation is fast drawing to a close. Next Monday school will be opened again for the term.

Last Monday night a very heavy wind storm accompanied with a great deal of thunder and lightning passed over this vicinity, but not a great deal of rain fell.

After the close of the C. E. meeting on last Sunday in the chapel, Rev. Mr. Smith, of Trenton, conducted the service in Rev. A. S. Pitcenger's stead. He delivered an excellent sermon from the text, St. John 1: 42, which made a good impression on the audience, but owing to the very hot weather the turn out was not as large as usual.

The Scripture says: "If a man buildeth a house he buildeth it upon a rock, and not upon sand, less the flood cometh and washeth it away." This passage can be applied in a measure to the newly erected "substantial" bank on the Bordentown road. An item from Fallsington in the Delaware Valley Advance of last week referred to the "substantial" bank on the Bordentown road put up by Supervisor Orlando Ridge, which the freshet cannot wash away like its many predecessors. The writer of this thinks that that worthy correspondent never saw the bank, or, if so, does not know what a substantial bank is. If we should experience another heavy downpour of rain like we had a short time ago (unless seen to beforehand) this bank will be as dangerous to pass with horse and wagon as it was before it was repaired. It is like an old eye sore, plastered up over again. It will always be a drain on the treasury of Falls township unless some other steps are taken to prevent the floods and rains from impairing this certain place in the Bordentown road.

FALLSINGTON.

The Hillside Home is filled at present with summer visitors this warm weather.

Watson & Hibbs have the contract for building a large barn for Samuel C. Moon.

A large barn is soon to be erected on the Springdale farm in place of the one recently destroyed by fire.

Several Fallsington people attended the Red Men's entertainment given in Tullytown on Saturday evening.

Rev. Francis A. Gilbert, of the Port Richmond M. E. Church held services in Fallsington M. E. Church on Tuesday evening.

The Penn Valley Harvest Home in Sickle's Woods on Wednesday of last week was well attended by the people in this neighborhood.

S. C. Stokes and William C. Mershon have the contract for carrying the school children to the Penn's Manor school for the present term.

J. Taylor Richards enters the State College the coming term. James K. Burton, of this township, is also entered as a scholar there.

Watson & Longhurst are painting the barn and out buildings on the farm of David Satterthwaite, also the new iron fence enclosing the new burying grounds.

The supervisors contemplate placing 1000 tons of crushed stone on some of the roads as an experiment, as it is impossible to obtain any gravel suitable for road improvement.

The School Directors are improving the Fallsington school grounds. A new walk is being made of crushed stone and a general grading is being made around the building.

John J. McCue and Warren H. McClossy rode their bicycles to Asbury Park and return on Sunday. The poorest road on the entire trip was from Fallsington to Morrisville.

The Penn's Manor and Fallsington Base Ball teams played on the home grounds on Saturday with a score of 10 to 8 in favor of the home team; both teams had to play substitutes as some of the regular men were unable to attend.

EDGELY.

Miss Mary Lovett is visiting in Princeton, N. J.

Mrs. J. Y. Williams is visiting in Jamesburg for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H King are spending a week at Ocean Grove.

Mrs. Ellwood LaRue left on Tuesday for Wisconsin, to be gone several weeks.

Miss Lillian Smith, of Philadelphia, visited her aunt, Mrs. Simpson, over Sunday.

Mrs. E. R. Hellings, Miss Bessie Hellings and Miss Kate King spent Wednesday in Asbury Park.

Miss Elizabeth Hellings, of Wilmington, Del., has arrived and will be the teacher at the Delaware school the coming term.

The pain that sometimes strikes a man at the most inopportune moment is due to indigestion. It may come in the midst of a dinner and make the feast a mockery. It is a reminder that he may not eat what he chooses, nor when he chooses. He is a slave to the weakness of his stomach. A man's health and strength depend upon what he gets out of his food. This depends on his digestion. Remove the obstruction by taking Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They are a positive cure for constipation and its attendant ills—headaches, sour stomach, flatulence, dizziness, biliousness and "heartburn." The "Pellets" are very gentle in their action. They simply assist nature. They give no violent wrench to the system. They cause no pain, nor griping.

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Mahlon Fretz, of Sellersville, was discharged as a bankrupt by Judge McPherson in the United States District Court in Philadelphia on Monday.

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NEWPORTVILLE.

Mrs. Daniel Potter is about again after a week's illness.

Miss Lillian T. Mitchell is making a week's stay at Atlantic City.

Miss Anna York, of Bristol, is visiting Miss Elizabeth Mathews.

Mrs. Sue Guthrie and daughter were visiting J. C. Everitt and wife on Sunday.

Gottlob Boehringer is making several improvements to his newly purchased property.

Miss Bertha Hellings, of Bristol, was visiting Miss Flo Rose last Sunday and Monday.

David Snyder was called to Bristol on Wednesday to see his daughter, Clara, who is quite sick.

Dr. Horace Heckenstine and Supervisor Edward G Betz spent several days in Atlantic City last week.

Isaac J. Vanartsdalen, who was lately studying law under A. Weir Gilkeson, has gone to Doylestown to finish his studies.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and is made in Toledo, O., by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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THURSDAY AUGUST 24, 1899.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

In accordance with a resolution passed at the last meeting of the Republican County Committee, the Republican voters of Bucks county will meet in mass convention in the Court House Park, in the borough of Doylestown, on MONDAY, the ELEVENTH day of SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the county offices. By order of

JOSEPH W. SHELLY, Chairman.
Geo. W. McIntosh, } Secretaries.
J. Clinton Sellers, }

Farmer Creasy's doom is sealed today.

It is said that the difference between kleptomania and theft is about $25,000.

It is not always those who shout the loudest about the value of patronizing home industries that practice what they preach.

The Democratic party must have been drilled in military tactics. Its skillful manœuvring and ability to "about face" attracts considerable attention.

A $20,000,000 corset trust is in the process of formation. Business men are little interested in the scheme, as the trust's ultimate object is only to squeeze the fair sex.

Jacob S. Coxey, of Commonweal Army fame, has struck a fortune in a zinc mine in Ohio. It will make little difference to Coxey now whether the army gets on the grass or not. He has joined the ranks of plutocracy.

The next session of Congress will be one of the most important in the history of the country. The legacies left by the Spanish war will be the means of foisting difficult problems upon the national body for solution.

The Hatfield Invincible thinks that the disparity between a $75,000 reception in New York and a $11,000 gift house in Washington, will doubtless cause Admiral Dewey, to wonder why the figures were not reversed.

Senator Ben Tillman, of pitchfork fame, has rested from his labors of stinging the Republican party, and wrestling with "octopuses" and plutocratic snakes, and is now engaged in shooting his forked tongue at the Southern "white-cappers."

C. Wesley Thomas, the Quay leader, had no difficulty in defeating the Hicks-Martin forces in the Twenty-fourth Senatorial District of Philadelphia at the primary elections on Monday evening. The Collector of the Port maintained his supremacy by capturing forty-nine of the sixty-four divisions.

Creasy's outing will soon be over. To swoop down upon granger's picnics and tell the honest sons of toil how they have had their pockets rifled by a United States Senator may amuse the speaker, but the audiences are not such "farmers," in the slang sense, as the Democratic candidate for Treasurer supposes.

It seems probable that the Democrats in 1900 are about to repeat their action in 1864, when they declared in national convention that the war policy was a failure and demanded its abandonment. It is recalled that it was many years thereafter before the Democracy secured even a measure of the country's confidence.

A colored woman, aged 60 years, died last week in the State Hospital. An autopsy revealed the presence of a half dozen silver spoons in her stomach. We have heard of people being born with silver spoons in their mouths, but this is the first case on record coming to our notice where a person died with a collection of silverware in the stomach.

We are indebted to the Hon. F. G. Edwards for a handsome large photograph 22x28 inches, of the members of the Legislature, taken as they were assembled for a joint Senatorial ballot in the House Chamber at Harrisburg. We have had the picture appropriately framed and hung on the walls of our sanctum, where it can be seen by those who so desire.

They raise such large potatoes up in Oakes that the patches look as though an earthquake had visited the section. According to the truthful Perkasie News, the great cracks in the earth were caused by the potatoes crowding each other for room and the surface of the ground was forced apart. We would enquire of our Tullytown correspondent whether any of the expert "spud" growers in his section mutilated their farms in turning out whoppers?

The trust is still pushing up the price of meat. The New York retail butchers are planning for the erection of slaughter and packing houses where the local butchers can handle their own beef without dealing with the wholesalers. Buyers will be sent to points in the West to buy cattle to be shipped to New York for slaughter. It is intended to form a co-operative association to conduct the new venture and to raise $100,000 to begin with.

Printers' Ink, which is conducted as an advertisement for Rowell's Newspaper Directory, declares that the rating given by Mr. Rowell to a New York trade paper is a case of "uncommon generosity on the part of the Directory's editor, judging from the little one hears or sees of the publication anywhere." The candid confession of the unreliability of the Directory's circulation figures, while commendable and proving our estimate of the correctness of the value of the publication, is somewhat unexpected.

At the request of Mayor Samuel H. Ashbridge, chairman of the Citizens' Permanent Relief Committee, of Philadelphia, we publish in another column an earnest appeal for contributions in aid of the victims of the terrible hurricane at Porto Rico. It is a matter of congratulation to know that the appeals of Governor Stone and others for material aid for the sufferers is meeting with prompt response by the people of Pennsylvania. The transport Panther has left Philadelphia loaded with articles of food and clothing for the tropical sufferers. Other boats will be forwarded by the government to carry contributions.

The carpet weavers of Philadelphia are in a state of dissatisfaction because the rate of wages has not been restored by the amount it was reduced when the Wilson tariff act was passed.

The Philadelphia Ledger says: The carpet trade at present is prosperous, having not only the stimulus of the Dingley tariff, but a special advantage derived from the imposition of a high rate of duty upon Chinese mattings that would serve housekeepers as a substitute for the inferior grades of carpet. Certain manufacturers appear willing to concede to labor its fair proportion of the profits which prosperity secures to the trade. But other mill operators display less justice, and hence the unrest among the toilers.

If a protective tariff does not operate to the benefit of the workman, to secure him employment at a fair day's pay, what justification is there for it? If the schedule be so high as to ensure the manufacturer the home market, the revenue to the Government upon imports is curtailed or destroyed. But the basic principle of the protective policy is to safeguard American labor, to enable the employer to remunerate his working people on a scale that will permit them to live in the decent, respectable way that is characteristic of the ideal American home. No one will deny to the manufacturer his just share of the profits, but he is morally bound to award labor its just recompense. The ostensible reason for the higher rates of the Dingley act was that labor might be protected against the ruinous petition of foreigners. With the quickened activity of the mills and the enhancement of profits to the manufacturer, the workers are amply warranted in calling for a full restoration of the wage rate to the figures that prevailed before the enactment of the Wilson bill.

Last Friday's North American contained a scalding editorial comment upon the life, escapades and marriages of Lily Langtry. In part the North American said:

She is a failure, if ever there was one. Nature gave her beauty and talents, and fortune brought her a husband who loved her. Had she been a woman of chastity and heart she could have lived happily and inoffensively. But vanity led her into extravagance and conduct which robbed her of reputation and her home. The notoriety that would have crushed a sensitive woman she took into the market and sold. Her infamy as the favorite of the Prince and her beauty brought her great sums of money, any one dollar of which would be more loathsome than a snake to a woman capable of shame. She preyed upon young men and old men, willingly associating herself for gain with a brute like 'Squire Abington, who beat her, and for gain with better men for whose adoration she cared nothing. No pawnbroker, no bookmaker of the race track, can be more mercenary than Mrs. Langtry. Clear-headed, cold-hearted, insensible to scorn, she has lived for money, resolutely gathering it in while living a seemingly dissipated life. Others around her might empty their purses—she filled hers; others might wreck their health—she took prudent guard of her own. Nothing swerved her from her purpose to be rich, and to get out of existence all that money can buy for the gratification of her wholly material tastes. Her husband died in a madhouse; she sent him flowers, and appeared at the races. But even the Prince of Wales, who has had the courage to send her congratulations on the capture of her latest victim, could not force her again upon English society. That society is not squeamish, but it drew the line at Mrs. Langtry.

State Senator William Heitzler, who was a college mate of "Jim" Barnett, in speaking of the returning Philippine hero, said: "I feel that I am competent to speak of his abilities and strong personal qualities. He was a close and industrious student and ranked high in his class. He was one of the most popular of the orators of the college and he will make a splendid impression on the stump in the coming campaign. He is a ready, interesting and captivating public speaker and seems to know just what to say on every occasion. His letter declining the colonelcy of the Tenth Regiment has been generally commended as indicating the high character of the man and his devotion to the memory of his old commander. When his work in the Philippines shall be reviewed, it will be found that Colonel Barnett's records will be fully up to the standard, which has made the 'Fighting Tenth' famous for bravery in action. Colonel Barnett should have the hearty support of his fellow Republicans of the State, as I believe he will. The remarkable interest that has been taken in his candidacy by the young men who enlisted in the Spanish-American war is indeed significant. This will be a campaign of patriotism in Pennsylvania, and the Republican party will be fortunate in having one of the sturdy young heroes of the campaign in Luzon at the head of the ticket this fall."

Dr. Reading, who shapes the editorial policy of the Hatboro Journal, runs a drug store, and holds a diploma as a veterinary surgeon, does not believe that the so-called "gold Democrats" will be permitted to get into the band wagon and play the chief instruments when it comes time to hook up for the 1900 procession. There is a great deal of horse sense in his argument. The Journal says:

There are a number of Democrats over the country, most of whom deserted the party in '96, who have been masquerading in various ways to overthrow Mr. Bryan. These fellows begin to see the handwriting on the wall in that direction, and are now turning their whole attention toward getting rid of the money issue, etc. Their ideas of just what the platform should be for the party in 1900 will not likely be sought after. They should remember Mr. Bryan's great strength lies in the issues fought for in '96 as well as in himself. On the other hand they will not be likely to write the platform for the Democratic party in 1900. They will in all probability carry the bucket four years before they mount the saddle again as rough riders.

After Benedict Arnold sold out to our British foe he did not have the nerve and check afterwards to suggest to the writers of the Declaration of Independence what it should be. Neither was his views asked for on that important subject.

Mayor Jones, of Toledo, Ohio, who has inspired the confidence and esteem of the Doylestown Intelligencer began his campaign as a candidate for Governor of Ohio by an address to the Cleveland strikers. His address was what might have been expected from a crank, asserting that the country is in the midst of an epidemic of strikes, boycots and lockouts, which constitute an "industrial civil war." He left the Cleveland end of his campaign in the hands of the men who are dynamiting street cars loaded with defenseless men, women and children. Brick bats and dynamite may hold temporary sway, but the cause of right and justice will triumph in the end.

The Times' Mud Batteries.

Collegeville Independent.

The Philadelphia Times is prolific in war hints. That paper assisted in the shameful hounding of Secretary Alger. It will be after Secretary Root next. What would be the matter, anyhow, with changing the location of the War Department from Washington to the office of the Times in Philadelphia? Aguinaldo would surrender at once!

Prof. Charles E. Norton has raised his head again to emit a criticism on the conduct of the war in the Philippines. Here is what he says:

The cry is already rising from Maine to Texas and from Texas to California, "Stop this fighting in the Philippines. It is a woful mistake; it is a crime." Let the cry gather in volume till it is heard even at the White House, even in the Governor's chamber at Albany.

By what right are we murdering the people of the Philippines, and devastating their homes?

Their steadfast resistance to our oppression deserves the respect of every free man.

Let the cry rise till it thunders in the ears of the Administration, "Stop this fighting!"

No doubt Prof. Charles would have the United States withdraw from the field, acknowledging itself defeated by a band of roving savages; cease fighting and permit the Filipinos, who opened the attack, masters of the situation free to burn, murder and pillage; humiliate ourselves in the eyes of the world and haul down a flag that has been hoisted at the expense of the blood of American soldiers. That may be according to the taste of Atkinsons, Nortons and Garrisons. But, than Heaven! the country is not in the control of those who have so little sense of patriotism, propriety and responsibility.

The Doylestown Intelligencer claims to have obtained definite and reliable information as to the present state of business in Bucks county, as compared with the period of two years ago, through the medium of reports secured from prominent business men at different places in the county. According to these reports Bristol has not shared in the general business revival. The Bristol correspondent says:

I don't see any material increase in business here over two years ago. There has not been any considerable number of unemployed men here. The rate of wages is about the same, although an influx of outsiders desiring employment in an industry lately revived here occasioned a lowering of rates at that place on account of the supply being greater than the demand.

CHARLES E. SCOTT.

In commenting upon the GAZETTE's article relative to the Italian nuisance in Bristol the esteemed Doylestown Democrat says:

The GAZETTE ought to have had the courage some years ago to stand with the Democrat and denounce the importation of this foreign pauper labor. Then the GAZETTE said not a word against it, but bolstered up the Chinese tariff wall, which made it possible to import foreign laborers. Now the GAZETTE is enjoying the fruits of its own policy.

It is with mournful regret that we accept the statement of the Democrat. Had we been conscious of the strength with which the Democrat credits us we certainly would have lent the aid which would have prevented the distress which Bristol is now suffering.

"We know what American victory means. It means not to oppress, not to tread on the necks of the fallen. It means to lift them up, to place them upon their feet, and to do all that is in our power to extend comfort, civilization, happiness and prosperity to all mankind. The war has brought under the dominion and protectorate of the Stars and Stripes many millions of our Catholic people, far removed, some of them, from the American continent, but we predict for them unhesitatingly that they will make American citizens as loyal, as sturdy and as true as those that are here today."—Father Lavelle in speech introducing President McKinley, at Catholic Summer School Grounds, Champlain, N. Y., August 15.

Give Him Something Easy.

Yardley Review.

A yellow hen belonging to Augustus Ziegler, of Limerick, Montgomery county, hatched a brood of 15 chicks in the forks of a willow tree, 15 feet from the ground.—Exchange.

It is now in order for the Bristol correspondent of the Philadelphia Record to report some like happening in that vicinity to far excel the oddity of the foregoing statement, and it is our candid belief that the gentlemen is capable of producing the same. According to his articles in the Record some very miraculous feats take place in Bristol.

Alas! Poor Woodmansee,

Lansdale Reporter.

Philadelphia and St. Louit have societies that take dogs and cats to board at fixed rates. Boston has a number of societies that care for animals, the homeless and diseased ones being mercifully killed. A Chicago society warns persons leaving town not to neglect their pets, but otherwise no special attention is given to this phase of the question. In Baltimore official provision is made for the care of dogs, but cats must take their chances. Poor, neglected men whose families go off and leave them have to look out for themselves.

The Italian Nuisance.

EDITOR GAZETTE:—I wish to convey my appreciation of your effort to bring to public notice the blot upon our borough civilization which you characterize as an "Italian Nuisance." As one who is compelled to live in the foul atmosphere of the Italian quarters, and endure the hardships inflicted by the presence of dirty, noisy and quarrelsome foreigners, I feel deeply indebted for any action that will tend to give relief. One who does not live in the pestered neighborhood has no conception of the nuisance. As a remedy I would suggest the publication of the names of all property owners who rent to Italians. I think that no one who is in sympathy with the spirit of American institutions would be guilty of aiding and abetting the Italian nuisance. If these property holders' names were published I think it would be the means of shaming them into a respect for the feelings of law-abiding, taxpaying citizens.

The GAZETTE's article has been commended upon all sides and I hope your paper will keep at it until relief comes. A VICTIM.

Bristol, August 20.

A Protest.

EDITOR GAZETTE:—It is hoped that the Borough Fathers will not leave the north side of Pond street in its present condition after an expenditure of $2,600. Between Walnut and Franklin streets, between what ought to be the sidewalk and the street, in many places are long gravel banks two feet high ornamented with rag weeds higher than the railroad fence. The borough receives a revenue from the railroad company for this side of the street and should keep it in repair. POND STREET RESIDENT.

Bristol, August 26.

Champion Shot of the World,

Miss Annie Oakley, writes: "Myself and many of the Buffalo Bill Wild West Co. have given Allen's Foot-Ease, the powder to shake into the shoes, a most thorough trial, and it does all if not more than you claim." It instantly takes the sting out of Corns and Bunions. Allen's Foot-Ease is a certain cure for swollen, hot, aching, nervous or sweating feet. Sold by all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Satisfactory experiments with tobacco culture are now being made at Sellersville.

PROFESSIONAL OPINION.

The announcement recently made that the GAZETTE had entered upon the twenty-seventh year of its career has been greeted in a flattering and unexpected manner by our highly esteemed contemporaries. To appear well in the eyes of those, who, by training, are best qualified to determine, is the source of extreme gratification. Newspaper making carries with it many burdens, but it is such cheering words written by fellow laborers that eases the yoke and keeps the editorial harness from chafing. The following comments are fully appreciated:

AN OPINION WE VALUE.

Collegeville Independent.

The initial number of volume XXVII of the BRISTOL GAZETTE, of the county of Bucks, was issued last week. If the citizens of Bucks county in general and of Bristol in particular know a good thing in newspaperdom when they see it and read it, and doubtless they do, then they surely appreciate the GAZETTE. We regard it as one of the most ably edited newspapers in the State. It is rather stiff-headed in its Republican proclivities at times, but this characteristic is to be fully accepted as a matter of individual taste or inclination. Editor Thomas is a clever writer; he has opinions to advance from time to time and the ability and courage to express them concisely, tersely and fearlessly. May the GAZETTE continue to prosper for many years.

EDITORIAL COLUMNS CONDUCTED WITH SIGNAL ABILITY; LOCAL NEWS DEPARTMENT COMPLETE.

Philadelphia Inquirer.

The BUCKS COUNTY GAZETTE has turned its twenty-seventh year. It is a journal with which the Inquirer has many honest differences, and with which it will have many more, assuming that it continues in its present political course; but that does not prevent the Inquirer from congratulating it upon the degree of prosperity which it has attained. Its editorial columns are conducted with signal ability, and its local news department is complete. We hope to read it when it has attained fifty-four.

KEEPS PACE WITH THE MARCH OF PROGRESS.

Doylestown Republican.

The esteemed BRISTOL GAZETTE with its latest issue entered upon its twenty-seventh volume. Twenty-six years ago the present venerable senior proprietor came to Bristol and established the GAZETTE, which has flourished under his management until now his two sons relieve him of the burdens of conducting the paper. The GAZETTE has kept pace with the march of progress and is today one of the leading weekly newspapers of the county. The Republican wishes for its proprietors many years of prosperity while they conduct a journal of such estimable worth.

CLAYTON HAS TRAVELED, TOO.

Jenkintown Times-Chronicle.

The BRISTOL GAZETTE is twenty-six years old, and Jesse O. Thomas has been at the helm since the first issue appeared. About a year ago he took his two sons into partnership with him, and the paper is exceedingly bright and newsy in consequence. It ought to be, too, for his boys traveled over most of the States of the Union, and were lodged at Tacoma, Washington, for several years, where contact with the bright people who go West quickens the senses, and gives them hustling qualities that are often lacking in the man of the effete East.

HALDEMAN, THE STALWART, TESTIFIES.

Harleysville News.

The BRISTOL GAZETTE, the Republican stalwart organ of Bucks county, has just entered its 27th volume. Jesse O. Thomas, Sr., has been at the helm since the first issue appeared. About a year ago he took his two sons, Joseph S and Jesse O., Jr., into partnership with him, and the paper is exceedingly bright and newsy in consequence. In politics the GAZETTE is of the rock-ribbed stripe, and is a bitter foe of the insurgents. Its well-written and brainy editorials make the paper a power in Bucks county.

ONE OF THE LIVELIEST.

Lansdale Republican.

The Bristol (Bucks county) GAZETTE comes to hand with the announcement in its editorial columns that it entered its 27th volume a couple weeks since. The GAZETTE is published by Jesse O. Thomas & Sons and is one of the liveliest weeklies of our sister county. To the publishers the Republican tenders heartiest congratulations accompanied by best wishes for continued prosperity.

LIKE GOOD WINE.

Lansdale Republican.

The BRISTOL GAZETTE, that staunch Republican paper that has held Jesse O. Thomas at its helm since it was founded twenty-six years ago, entered upon its XXVIIth volume last week. As a newspaper it has grown better with age, and since the founder took his two sons into partnership a year ago the GAZETTE has been particularly bright and interesting. May its field of usefulness expand and its prosperity increase.

GOOD WISHES FROM AN "INSURGENT" STRONGHOLD.

North Wales Record.

The Bristol (Bucks county) GAZETTE has just entered upon its 27th volume, and is as bright, clean and readable as any of its contemporaries. It is edited by Thomas Bros., who have the faculty of saying things at the right times and always to the point. May its shadow never grow less is the wish of the Record.

ALL THE NEWS AND WIDE-AWAKE.

Souderton Independent.

The BUCKS COUNTY GAZETTE, published at Bristol, has passed its twenty-sixth year in the newspaper career. It publishes all the news of the lower end of Bucks county and has the reputation of being a wide-awake newspaper. Continued success to the publishers, Jesse O. Thomas & Sons.

BRO. HEYWOOD SAYS "SPARKLING."

Conshohocken Recorder.

The BRISTOL GAZETTE, which has the most sparkling and interesting of editorial pages, and is a neatly printed paper, celebrated its twenty-sixth birthday with its issue of last week. The GAZETTE is a Republican paper, but its editors if they believe it necessary do not hesitate to attack methods and men of either party.

ONE OF THE BEST IN THE STATE.

Philadelphia Times.

The BUCKS COUNTY GAZETTE is entering upon its twenty-seventh volume. Editor Thomas has made of his paper one of the best journals printed in the State. It is, politically, one of the strongest organs of the Republican party, and will not lose any prestige during its future career.

NEWSY, NEAT AND ABLE.

Norristown Herald.

With the current issue the BUCKS COUNTY GAZETTE, a neatly printed and ably edited weekly published at Bristol, begins its twenty-seventh volume. The GAZETTE is a newsy paper, and well deserves the success with which it is meeting.

EDITOR BARDMAN SAYS "NEATEST AND BEST EDITED."

Schwenksville Item.

The BRISTOL GAZETTE was 26 years old last week. It is one of the neatest and best edited papers in Bucks and is very prosperous ous under the management of Jesse O. Thomas & Sons.

A Word to the Wise is Sufficient.

Stretch's Balsam cured me of a throat and lung trouble of three years' standing.—Con M. Annis, Kennebunk, Me.

Mrs. William Haines, Jacksonville, N. J., writes: "Stretch's Balsam saved the life of my child when suffering with a severe attack of croup in the night after everything else failed."

Andrew W. Smith, Trenton, writes: "I desire to express my extreme satisfaction resulting from the use of Stretch's Balsam for coughs and colds in my family during the past three years. I know it has saved me many dollars in physicians' fees, and I would not be with out it in my household."

At all druggists; satisfaction guaranteed, 25c, 50c. Large size cheaper.

LOCAL MISCELLANY.

ITEMS OF INTEREST CAUGHT WITH THE SCISSORS. HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK IN BUCKS AND MONTGOMERY COUNTIES.

Royersford and Spring City industries pay out $80,000 per week in wages.

Patriotic Sons of America at North Wales, Montgomery county, will build a hall.

A Lansdale manufacturer is making threshing machines to be shipped to Tasmania.

The Church of God will open a camp meeting in Forest Park, Chalfont, Bucks county, early in September.

Cigar manufacturers in some Montgomery county towns cannot secure sufficient hands to run their factories.

A Philadelphia party is going to start a clothing factory in a vacant planing mill at Pennsbury, Montgomery county.

Superintendent Henry K. Boyer, of the Philadelphia Mint, will stock his Collegeville farm with 25 head of Guernsey cows.

Rev. Warren Nickel, a well-known Lutheran clergyman of Bucks county, can shoe his own horses if driven to that extremity.

Sellersville is represented in the Philippines by Captain Henry D. Styer, of Company C, Thirteenth United States Infantry.

Abraham Overholt, who died a few days ago in Bedminster, Bucks county, at the age of 96 years, never in his life required the attention of a physician.

Another lazy man has been found. His name is John Hole, who is so lazy that in writing his name he simply uses the letter J. and punches a hole through the paper.

Miss Laura Swartzlander and Mrs. Eliza C. Smith, of Yardley, arrived home late on last Thursday evening after a pleasant trip to California. They were away about six weeks.

The engagement of Miss Nellie Nelson, adopted daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George F. Heston, of Newtown, and Edwin Hall, of Philadelphia, has been announced, the wedding to take place this fall.

Over 1,000 more men are now working in the iron mills at Pottstown than were employed one year ago. The greatest increase is at the Pottstown Iron Works, where 775 hands are employed, a gain of 100 per cent.

The fall reunion of the Montgomery County Historical Society will be held on September 16, at Christ church, near Mainland. The vicinity is rich in historic recollections, and a varied programme is in course of preparation.

Harry A. Smith, of Forest Grove, and Miss Hattie A. McMurray, of Spokane, Washington, were married on Thursday, August 17, at "Rose Lawn," Forest Grove, by Rev. J. B. Krewson. Mr. Smith had been in Spokane for quite a while and there he met his bride.

Two summer trolley cars loaded down to the steps with passengers on the Roxborough, Chestnut Hill and Norristown Traction Company's line came together in a head-on collision Sunday morning, just outside of Norristown, and from twenty to thirty passengers were more or less seriously injured.

Samuel B. Kramer, associate editor of the Perkasie News and a director in the Quakertown Traction Company, has brought an action for slander against Martin H. Sachs, a prominent resident of Perkasie. The suit, which has caused a great sensation in that borough, is said to have resulted from bad feeling growing out of trolley agitation.

A strike for higher wages compelled the Angora mills, of Norristown, to close down on Saturday, and in consequence two hundred hands are thrown out of employment. Twenty boys employed in the mule room asked for a raise of 50 cents a week, which was refused by the management. The boys' places could not be filled, and in consequence the entire plant was closed.

Last week P. H. Zendt, of Souderton, Montgomery county, made six quarts of wild cherry wine, and in order to hurry the fermenting of the same placed it in the yard to allow the sun to do the work. When he returned to his home in the evening, much surprised, he discovered that during the day bees helped themselves and the wine was gone. Mr. Zendt's neighbors will vouch as to the truth of this incident.

One of the most disastrous wrecks that has occurred on the North Penn Railroad for a long time was the one that piled up sixteen freight cars at a point between Hatfield and Souderton Saturday morning. It was caused by a broken axle in the front part of the train. Brakeman Jacob Schweitzer, of 2229 Colorado street, Philadelphia, was found underneath a pile of pig iron. He died shortly after being taken out

New Democratic Leader.

Doylestown Republican.

Things are not so slow in the political world after all. There is news in Democratic circles that is quite interesting. It is said that Democracy will have a new leader this Fall, who, in conjunction with two other members of the party, may accomplish something surprising. The new man is said to be Carey Ball, of Buckingham, who is believed to have made his entrance into the political arena through that very appropriate doorway the Doylestown Democrat. Rumor has it that Mr. Ball was the author of a recent article in the Democrat, charging that George W. Radcliffe, of Buckingham, had been betrayed by some of his friends at the county seat. The article had every evidence of being the product of a new contributor, but more than this Democrats here, who are supposed to control the Democrat's political matter, do not deny that Mr. Ball was the author. Therefore there is good reason to believe that he has decided to take up the lost cause and endeavor to lead his party to victory this Fall.

No doubt Mr. Ball, like hundreds of other Democrats throughout the county, has become disgusted with the way things have been mismanaged by the leaders at Doylestown. It would be difficult for the party to find a captain more congenial or better fitted to take command than Mr. Ball. He has all the qualifications of the ideal Democratic leader. He will be able to give the Doylestown ring points at any stage of the game, and the wonder is that he has not been called upon before.

There is no denying the fact that Republicans feel a little uneasy concerning the sudden appearance of Mr. Ball as a member of the secret council. There is good reason for this if certain plans said to be under consideration by the ring are carried out. One of these plans is the nomination for Sheriff of W. Harry Smith, High Constable of the borough of Doylestown. It is believed by many Democrats that Constable Smith could capture what his friends describe as the "floating vote" of the county. It is further believed that in the landing of these floaters Mr. Ball might be of inestimable service. On top of all this comes the statement that Constable Smith would be endorsed by Judge Yerkes as the most available candidate in the party for the office of Sheriff This, then, if rumor be true, would be a most formidable triumvirate.

The Pottstown Knitting Company will double its capacity. The company has enough orders to keep the plant busy until April next.

NEW TODAY

AN ORDINANCE

EXEMPTING THE REAL ESTATE FORMERLY KNOWN AS THE BRISTOL ROLLING MILL COMPANY NOW OWNED BY BRISTOL IRON AND STEEL COMPANY FROM PAYMENT OF BOROUGH TAX FOR THE PERIOD OF TEN YEARS FROM THE YEAR 1900.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Burgess and Council of the Borough of Bristol and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same that the Real Estate formerly known as the Bristol Rolling Mill Company now owned by Bristol Iron and Steel Company shall, for the period of ten years from the year 1900, be exempted from the payment of borough tax. Provided, however, that the said Bristol Iron and Steel Company shall first pay to the Borough Treasurer a sum sufficient to pay for the printing and publishing of this ordinance.

Enacted into an ordinance at the Council Chamber this 14th day of August, A. D., 1899.

W. FRANK SCULL, President.
Attest:—J. WESLEY WRIGHT, Clerk.
Approved August 16, 1899.
B. S JOHNSON, Burgess

Last Notice.

Borough Tax!

All Borough Taxes remaining unpaid after **Thursday, August 31, 1899,** will be placed in the hands of a collector, with Five Per Cent. added, and costs of collection. Taxes will be received by the Treasurer to August 31st, inclusive, at his office, cor. Radcliffe and Market streets.

JAMES WRIGHT,
Treasurer Borough of Bristol.

MISS BOSTWICK'S
Home School
For Girls and Boys
WILL RE-OPEN
Wednesday, Sept. 27, '99.
Terms:
$50 00 Per Year.

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MISSES IREDELL,
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Special attention to Arithmetic, Elocution; Drawing in all its branches. Painting, French.

BRISTOL BOROUGH
School Tax Notice

Taxpayers who wish to secure the benefit of the five per cent. deduction, must pay their school tax to the District Treasurer at his office, on Dorrance street, on or before the 31st day of Eighth Month, (August), 1899.

EDWARD H. FOSTER,
Treasurer.

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Burroughs Michener,
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Subject to the decision of the Republican Convention.

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B. Frank Hobensack.
OF WARMINSTER TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER,
Edmund Wright,
OF MORRISVILLE.
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

New White Skirts are in.

We were fortunate in selecting the maker for our muslin underwear stock.

This makers of ours is very particular about his goods. A sort of a crank upon the matter, but with a crankiness that results in neatly-designed and neatly-made garments, trimmed with the dainty rather than the coarse.

Some New Skirts:

A Short Skirt, is of Cambric. It has 2 clusters of five tucks, with hemstitching between, above a 6-in. ruffle, with 3 rows of hemstitching in ruffle. Full width.

75c.

Other short ones at 25c, 56, 75c.

A Long Skirt, fine muslin, with 16-in. fine lawn-ruffle, 3 tucks and 4 rows of hemstitching, the fourth row immediately above the hem of the ruffle. Dust ruffle underneath. Full width.

$1.

Another Long Skirt, muslin, 16-in. ruffle, 4-in. imitation Torchon edge at hem, above which are 2 rows of 1½-in. imitation Torchon insertion, and a dust ruffle underneath. Full width.

$1.50.

Other long skirts, 50c, 75c, $1.25, $1.88, $2.75, $3, $3.75.

E. N. BROAD ST. Yard's TRENTON, N.J.

THE BEST CURE FOR
BURNING FEET
Caused by walking upon the hot pavements is a pair of
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which are soft and pliable. The secret is in the insoles.
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PHILIP WINTER,
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You, no doubt, know the ADVANTAGE and CONVENIENCE of contracting annually for the care of your Clothes, I therefore take pleasure in calling your attention to the fact that I will keep your CLOTHES in shape by SPONGING and PRESSING, including minor repairs, such as sewing on a button, sewing up a rip, etc., for $12 00 PER YEAR in ADVANCE annually, semi-annually or quarterly.

Suits to be pressed NOT MORE than THREE TIMES a MONTH.

You can readily see the great advantage of this plan. By contracting yearly you can get THREE PRESSES a month for $1.00 whereas, if you had to pay each time it would cost you double the above mentioned.

Trusting you will not delay in giving me your order I am
Yours very truly
F. E. MILBURN,
Bristol Tailor,
238 MILL STREET, BRISTOL, PA.

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OUR WAY
of retaining all our old customers and constantly adding new ones to the list, is the secret of knowing how to please. Our way is always securing the best meats to be had in the market and the keeping of them in thoroughly clean cold storage. Of course then our meats are tender and sweet.
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Fully stocked with Hemlock, Yellow Pine, White Pine, Hardwoods, Shingles, Lath, Pickets, Etc.

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249 Wood Street, Bristol.
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The Best Brands of BEERS All kinds of Soft Drinks
Trenton Brewing Co.'s
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PHILADELPHIA AND WEST. *Arrival*—7.15, 7.45, 9.00 a. m., 12.30, 4.30, 7.30 p. m. *Departure*—5.45, 8.45, 10.00 a. m., 1.30, 2.40, 6.40 p. m.

NEW YORK AND EAST. *Arrival*—7.15, 9.30, 10.40 a. m., 2.00, 7.30 p. m. *Departure*—7.00, 11.30 a. m., 3.30, 7.00 p. m.

NEWPORTVILLE. *Arrival*—8.30 a. m. *Departure*—7.30 a. m.

LANGHORNE AND HULMEVILLE. *Arrival*—11.30 a. m. *Departure*—1 00 p. m.

WOODBOURNE, EMILIE, FALLSINGTON, ETC. *Arrival*—11.00 a. m. *Departure*—12.30 p. m.

SUNDAYS.

NEW YORK AND PHILADELPHIA. *Arrival*—8.00 a. m. *Departure*—9.00 a. m.

Mails for the West and South go by every Philadelphia mail.

Post office closes 8.00 p. m. Saturday, 8.30 p. m. Open Sunday from 8 to 9 a. m.

E. W. MINSTER, P. M.

Eternal Bloom.

Written for the Gazette.

The sweet perfume of a rose in bloom
Scented auroral day;
A few short hours and the queen of flowers
Died and withered away.

A kind y deed in the hour of need
Is a pledge of a noble heart;
Such love expressed in the human breast
Binds souls that never will part.

Thus, the sweetest rose that ever grows
Will bloom then fade away;
But a noble act will keep intact
Its sweetness in Heaven for aye. —J. R.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Wright Marshall and family will move to Philadelphia next week.

The Rev. Herman C. Fox, D. D., will preach at the Presbyterian Church next Sunday.

The Boys' Friendly society of St. Paul's Mission will hold its monthly meeting next Monday evening.

Stephen F. Reed, of Lawrence Station, N. J., will preach in the Baptist Church on Sunday morning.

Calvin W. Booz, of Bristol township, is a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Commissioner.

Over eight hundred persons attended the Liberty Cornet Band's excursion to Washington Park last Saturday.

Bristol Castle, Knights of the Golden Eagle, received 17 propositions for membership last Tuesday evening.

The outside of the Bristol High School building is being decorated with a fresh coat of paint. S T. Valentine is the artist.

The annual picnic of St. Mark's Church will occur on Saturday of next week, September 2, at College Park. There will be music for dancing.

William Novegold has purchased the residence occupied by Frederick Collier on Jefferson avenue. Mr. Collier will remove to Washington street.

Thomas DeWitt, the Pond street florist, is holding a very successful aster show. Most persons take them for chrysanthemums, the bloom being so large.

At a meeting of the committee of management of St. Paul's Mission Miss Marie A. Gilkeson was elected to serve out the term of A. Weir Gilkeson, deceased.

Nine hundred and forty-seven persons went upon the complimentary excursion of the Fidelity and Evening Star Councils, Jr. O. U. A. M., last Friday evening.

The members of Groves' orchestra will give a dance at Hulmeville Park next Wednesday evening, August 30. First-class music will be furnished and a good time is assured.

Elisha Hall, the 13-year-old son of L. O. T. Hall, of Torresdale, while out gunning after birds with a comrade yesterday was accidentally shot in the arm and severely wounded.

List of letters remaining in Bristol postoffice for week ending August 24, 1899:—Hannah Clark, M. S. Bunn & Co., Albert Wespy, Thomas Purdy, Annie E. McCarrie.

Philip Winter has displayed in the window of his cigar store on Pond street a trophy of his recent visit to the coal mines of Pennsylvania in the shape of a miner's cap and lamp.

George Callanan has received from Maurice Minster, of the United States navy, a block of black powder taken from one of the 13-inch shells at Sicappo Battery, opposite Morro Castle, Santiago, Cuba.

James Wright, borough treasurer, and Edward H. Foster, treasurer of the school district, give notice to taxpayers that five per cent and costs of collection will be added to all taxes unpaid after August 31.

Mrs. Susan M. Wilkinson, wife of ex-Sheriff James Wilkinson, died at her residence in Doylestown on Tuesday evening, aged 81 years. The deceased is survived by her husband, two daughters and three sons. One of the latter, John B. Wilkinson, is a resident of Bristol.

The seven stone masons at work upon the new Presbyterian Sunday school buildings struck for an increase of 25 cents per day in wages on Tuesday morning. After remaining out for two hours all but two returned to work without their demands being granted. The men receive $3 per day.

Miss Ella H. Cartar died suddenly in a Philadelphia hospital on last Saturday, where she had submitted to an operation. Miss Cartar was much beloved by all of her acquaintances and her loss is much regretted. She was buried from the residence of her parents, one-half mile west of Bristol yesterday afternoon.

William Saxton, son of Chief Saxton, of the police force, and Edward Brown were arrested by Officer Wilkinson last Sunday for violating the ordinance relative to bathing within the borough limits. Brown was discharged for insufficient evidence and Saxton was fined $1 and costs by Judge Booz. Swimming near the Columbia's wharf without clothing was the charge.

Michael Sweeney, aged 58 years, died at the residence of his son, Manus Sweeney, 605 Cedar street, on Monday. He was an honest and industrious citizen and had been a resident of the borough for about forty years. Two sons and three daughters survive him. The funeral was held this morning. High Mass at St. Mark's Church at 10 o'clock. The interment was in St. Mark's old cemetery.

A delightful party was given by Miss Jennie A. Lawrence last Monday evening, at her home on Penn street. The following guests were present: Miss Mary Williams, of Germantown; Misses Hannah and Martha Marshall, Flora Babbitt, Jennie Hetherington, Carrie Marshall, Millie Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Doust, Mrs. Thomas Lawrence, Messrs. Edgar A. Smith, W. Irving Davis and Llewellyn Davis. The evening was passed in playing Up-Jenkins and other amusing games. A splendid collation was served.

Miss Hibbs is at Asbury Park.

Jesse Bromley is at Ocean Grove.

George Leigh is at Wilburtha, N. J.

Arthur Hagerman is at Asbury Park.

Miss Elizabeth Klett is at Atlantic City.

Edward Barton is at Ocean Grove.

Mrs. Parker Fine is visiting at Moore, Pa.

Charles Ahlee has returned to South Bend, Ind.

Misses Bertha and Beulah Thornton are at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Samuel Mauger returned today from Ocean Grove.

Miss Florence Martin is visiting at Wilmington, Del.

Harry A Stout has been spending a week at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Thomas Hughes is spending a week at Asbury Park.

Miss Lela Gatchel, of Philadelphia, is visiting Miss Sooy.

Mrs. N. Morgan Stephen and children are at Wildwood, N. J.

Mrs. John Johnson is spending a week with friends in Tioga.

Mrs. Griffith and children are spending a week at Atlantic City.

A. P. Hooker has returned from a visit to friends at Lowell, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thomas spent several days at Asbury Park.

Miss Mary Irvin, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mrs. J. M. Slack.

Miss Jennie Sailor, of Easton, is the guest of Mrs. John Sailor.

Fred B. Booz, of Newark, N. J., came over to Bristol on Monday.

Mrs. Robert Hetherington, of North Wales, is visiting Bristol relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. William Martin are visiting relatives at Rancocas, N. J.

Misses Susan and Laura Fine are at the Hotel deVille, Atlantic City.

Miss Anna Brady left on Tuesday to spend her vacation in Germantown.

Miss Anna Hayden, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting relatives in Bristol.

Rev. Harrison Decher, of Lewistown, paid a flying visit to Bristol yesterday.

Misses Margaret and Katharine Keating are visiting relatives in York, Pa.

Miss Elsie Wright is the guest of Miss Mary Wilkinson on Jefferson avenue.

Linford C. Booz, of Chicago, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward N. Booz.

Miss Mary Rogers is visiting her sister, Mrs. Arthur Iredell, at Trout Run, Pa.

Mrs. Mary Ott is visiting relatives in the neighborhood of Churchville, this county.

Miss Sue T. Iredell left on Tuesday to be the guest of friends at Beach Haven.

Mrs. Quimby, of Chelsea, Mass., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. C. L. Anderson.

Mrs. David Thompson, of Philadelphia, has been the guest of Mrs. M. A. Thompson.

Mrs. William E. Doron has been at Atlantic City the past week at the Hotel Brighton.

George A. Osmond, of Philadelphia, is the guest of James Jones, Radcliffe street.

Mrs. Lincoln Keeley, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Horatio B. Beatty.

Howard I. James, Esq., was a Sunday promenader upon the boardwalk at Atlantic City.

Mrs. C. Wesley Milnor and Miss Laura Barton are at Ocean Grove attending camp meeting.

Misses Pansy and Anna Leafe, of Winchester, Va., are the guests of Mrs. Thomas Harkins.

Mrs. John Smith, Mrs. Lillie Seltzer and children are on a two weeks' visit to Hamburg, Pa.

Rev. Nathan Brown and family are spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F Muschert.

Miss E. C. Vanuxem has returned from an extended visit among the mountains of New York State.

Mrs. Charles P. Yeamans has returned from a month's visit with friends in Culpepper, Va.

Miss Edith Warden, of Philadelphia, is visiting her cousin, Miss Mattie Warden, for a few weeks.

Miss Helen Booz, of Doylestown, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Chambers.

Mrs. James McNeil has had as guests her sister, Mrs. Ginn, and children, of Philadelphia, for a few days.

George E. Nye, of Haddonfield, N. J., a former well-known resident here, was a Sunday visitor to Bristol.

Charles F. Herrmann, of New Brighton, Pa., a former well-known resident of Bristol, was here last week.

Mrs. John Schmidt and Mrs. Tillie Selzer left on Saturday for a two weeks' visit with friends in Hamburg, Pa.

Dr. Conant, assistant physician at the Woman's Hospital, Philadelphia, spent Sunday with Mrs. J. M. Slack.

Mrs. Howard Pursell and daughters, Misses Ethel and Caroline, left today for a week's visit to Atlantic City.

Samuel N. Iredell, of Titusville, Pa., was in Bristol early in the week visiting his sisters, the Misses Iredell.

Dr. A. B. Wykoff has returned to Avon by-the-Sea, and will also visit Easton, Belvidere and the Delaware Water Gap.

Miss Elizabeth Weigand, of Philadelphia, was the guest of Miss Eva Braden, of Washington street, the past week.

John T. Whiteley, ex-Councilman of the Second Ward, who has been seriously ill for several days, is considerably better.

Mrs. Joseph S. Cook, Miss Cook, Mrs. John S. Worrell and Mrs. Charles York are enjoying cottage life at Ocean Grove.

Gackel Rabiger, August Neumeister and Ludwig Konig with their families, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Roedke.

William Murphy, who has been home on a furlough, was called to Washington, D. C., this morning, and will soon start with the Hospital Corps to Manila.

Hon. B. Frank Gilkeson, Delegate George A. Shoemaker, Hon. Frank G. Edwards, Postmaster Ellwood W. Minster and Joseph S. Thomas are in Harrisburg attending the State Convention.

Joseph R. Grundy, of the firm of William H. Grundy & Co., sailed yesterday morning from New York on the steamer Majestic for Liverpool. Mr. Grundy goes to attend the English wool sales.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. John Simons and Miss Emma Simons, of Philadelphia, and Thomas Simons, of Cornwells, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bailey during the past week.

A Systematic Robber Caught.

For a number of weeks the members of Hose Company, No. 2, have been engaged in the effort to catch the person who has been conducting systematic robberies at the hose house on Pond street. For six weeks the cash box in which is put the earnings of the pool table has been broken into regularly once a week and the contents appropriated. The box is kept in a closet under lock and key. The thief would take the pins out of the hinges and swing the door on the lock. Not only was the cash box robbed, but the private desks of the president, secretary and board of directors of the company were broken into and the contents disturbed. The private lockers of the members were forced and the desk belonging to R. H. Morris Circle, G. A. R., which meets in the parlor of the hose company, was also broken into. It was evident to the board of directors that it was a member of the company who was engaged in the thefts, so a scheme was planned to catch the robber. An electric wire was run from the locker containing the cash box into another room into a large closet and an alarm attached. A committee was appointed to lay in wait and when the intruder appeared the amateur detectives were to hide in the closet and await the signal which would denote that the cash box was being tampered with. Their labors were rewarded on Monday by catching the culprit red-handed.

Suspicion had rested for some time upon Edward Metzcher, but it was not until Monday that his guilt was established.

The damages amounted to about $30. There was stolen $12 in cash and property damaged to the amount of $18. Out of regards for the feelings of the boy's parents and the promise to make good the damage Metzcher was not prosecuted.

Deck Hand Stabbed.

A stabbing affray, with a fatal ending, occurred at the Burlington town wharf last Thursday evening. Amos Robinson, a colored expressman, stabbed Carrol Mays, a deck hand on the steamer John A. Warner.

Acting Mayor Frank B. Stockton, of Burlington, who was on the upper deck of the Warner and saw the whole affair, says Robinson had placed a barrel of sugar in Mays' way, and the deck hand remonstrated with him for it. Robinson swore at the deck hand, and Mays said he would take that from no nigger and struck him in the face. As Mays walked away Robinson drew a pocket-knife, sprang after him and drove the blade into his left breast. Mays staggered, fell backward on the wharf and rolled over. Robinson sprang at him again, but fortunately missed his murderous aim. Mays rolled over again and fell overboard. Robinson was arrested and taken to the county jail. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict placing the responsibility for the death of Mays upon the negro.

All efforts to find the relatives of the victim of the assassin's knife were without avail, and the body of the unfortunate man was buried in the Odd Fellows' Cemetery, at Burlington, on Tuesday. The Upper Delaware River Transportation Company bore all the expenses of the funeral.

Newtown Races.

The match races came off on the Newtown track yesterday as advertised. The race for $100 between "Lady V," of Bristol, and "Jennie Dawn" of Newtown, was won by the latter. "Lady V" won the first heat in 2.27. "Jennie Dawn," the 2nd, 3rd and 4th in 2.33, 2.32½ and 2.32½.

In the 2.29 class "Lizzie W" won the first heat in 2.27 and Florence Boy captured the next three, the time announced by the judges being 2.30¼.

In the 2.40 class Bottling Boy, of Trenton, came first under the wire; time, 2.39¼, followed by horse of Downie, of Hatboro, with Miles' "Magnolia" third.

In the free-for-all, "Selura," owned by Thomas Buckman, of Newtown, won three straight heats. Time, 2.21¼.

There was a large attendance, among whom were a goodly number of Bristolians.

Not so Badly Scared.

The GAZETTE is in receipt of the following communication:

The Bristol ladies mentioned in the Bristol notes of the Langhorne Standard this week as riding in the trolley one day last week and being nearly scared to death by a collision with another car, were not half as much frightened as the men riders and employes, including the superintendent of the road, for everyone jumped.

As for leaving the car, they left it at Eden where all the passengers were forced to get into another car to continue the ride, the first car being so shattered that it was necessary to run it from the rear with two men on the front signaling.

When near Langhorne the car ran off the track as stated, and the ladies did get off the car, but did so because they wished no longer to remain and incur the risk.

More Additions to the Bristol Library.

The following new books have been added to the Bristol Library this week:

To Arms, Andrew Balfour.
The Ladder of Fortune. Frances Courteney Baylor.
Mistress Nancy Molesworth. Joseph Hocking.
Richard Carvel. Winston Churchill.
Paul and Christina. Amelia E. Barr.
Her Ladyship's Elephant. D. E Wells.

Services at St. James'.

On Sunday the order of services will be as follows: Early celebration of the Eucharist at 8 o'clock; Matins and sermon at 10.30; Evensong, 7.30.

H. Clay Beatty Post, No. 73, G. A. R., goes to Philadelphia on September 5 to take part in the great parade.

Roses. Asters. Carnations.

Roses, 30c. per. doz.; Asters, 20c., Carnations, 15c. Everybody invited to see my show of new Asters. Nine persons out of ten take them for Chrysanthemums. Flowers three inches in diameter on stems two feet long. All colors, including the new shell pink. A very large bouquet, 25 cents. Rubber plants, 25c. J. T. DeWitt,
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PERSONALLY-CONDUCTED TOUR VIA PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

Over the battlefield of Gettysburg, through the picturesque Blue Mountains, via Hagerstown and Antietam, and down the beautiful and historic Shenandoah Valley to the unique Caverns of Luray; thence across the rolling hills of Northern Virginia to Washington, is the route of this tour—a section of the country intensely interesting from both a historic and a scenic standpoint.

The tour will leave New York 7 00 a. m., and Philadelphia 12 20 p. m., Saturday, September 16, in charge of one of the company's tourist agents, and will cover a period of five days. An experienced chaperon, whose especial charge will be unescorted ladies, will accompany the trip throughout. Round-trip tickets, covering transportation, carriage drives and hotel accommodations will be sold at the extremely low rate of $25 from New York; $24 from Trenton, $22 from Philadelphia and proportionate rates from other points.

For itineraries and full information apply to ticket agents, Tourist Agent, 1196 Broadway, New York; 798 Broad street, Newark, N. J.; or address Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia.

Help For the Stricken.

A stirring appeal has been made to the people at large by the U. S. Secretary of War for contributions, prompt and generous, in aid of the thousands of sufferers left homeless and in starvation by the recent disastrous hurricane which swept over Porto Rico. Accurate reports state that several thousand human lives were lost, hundreds of thousands of once happy homes were destroyed, crops were everywhere utterly ruined and many thousands of human beings are literally starving for want of food Hungry, houseless, with scarcely any clothing left to cover their nakedness, the unfortunate survivors are, we learn by telegraphic advices, threatened with the additional horrors of a plague. Crowds of women, old men and helpless little ones are encountered on every hand piteously begging for food and shelter.

Over ninety per cent of the houses have been demolished and in many places the furious onset of the sea has swept away almost every vestige of flourishing little towns and villages. From Adjuntas, Guayamas, Zabucoa, Mayaguez, Maunabo, Arroyo and other localities the loss of life has been appalling and the cries for help are pitiful and heart-rending. In one district alone, Utuado, over two thousand persons perished, and as in other southern towns, those who have escaped with their lives are in want.

Mayor Samuel H. Ashbridge and the Citizens' Permanent Relief Committee of Philadelphia, have organized a Citizens' Porto Rico Relief Fund, and our readers are asked to contribute to it and to send their contributions either to Hon. Samuel H. Ashbridge, Mayor of Philadelphia, or to Messrs. Drexel & Co., Treasurers, Porto Rico Relief Fund, 5th and Chestnut streets, Philadelphia.

The U. S. Secretary of War has assigned the U. S. Auxiliary Cruiser "Panther" to Philadelphia, from which port she will sail loaded with the food, etc., donated by the big-hearted men, women and children of Pennsylvania who have never failed to respond, heartily and liberally to the appeal of the distressed.

All contributions, of money, however small, will be gladly received and publicly acknowledged.

Eleventh Street Opera House, Philadelphia.

DUMONT'S MINSTRELS.

Our readers will be delighted to know that the above fun-makers will be at home in the family resort to dispense the usual mirth, comedy, melody and burlesques upon current events on Saturday afternoon and night, September 2. The matinee Saturday, September 2, will be a formal greeting to the little ones—families, old patrons and the thousands of strangers "within our gates" on that date. The matinees will be continued at 25 cents to all parts of the house, making it the cheapest and grandest entertainment in the city at popular prices. Last season's company was voted the best ever seen on the stage at this popular place of amusement, but this season it will be eclipsed by the talented comedians and singers enrolled for the present season.

This house has always been noted for its great burlesques, which have been written by its manager, Frank Dumont, for the past twenty years, and who has prepared funny satires for the opening. One is a burlesque to please the G. A. R. veterans. It is called "Initiated Into the G. A. R." It shows two fake soldiers trying to get into the G. A. R. meeting room while the post is having its camp fire. Another great timely satire will be on the recent raids entitled "Don't Beat the Bass Drum; or, Arresting the Army." There is also a burlesque scientific experiment on the "kissing bug," in which all the victims are treated. Hughey Dougherty resumes his place among the fun-makers, and will have lots to tell about everything local and interesting—the fads, the follies and people in general whom he has "kodaked" this summer. Dave Foy returns after a two years' absence, and this "fat, funny fellow" will again create roars of laughter by his mannerisms. There are several new comers in the ranks of the established favorites here. William Barlow, a quaint comedian, will make his first appearance here. The Barlows are known far and near as the head and front of Barlow Brothers' Minstrels, and have been secured for Dumont's great company of minstrel stars. Tom Waters is a very eccentric comedian well known in all of our big cities as a monologue comedian, rag time pianist, singer of "coon" songs and a very funny dialect mimic. He has been secured and added to this mammoth company. Charles Turner returns with a Klondike nugget of fun weighing many tons, and this season will give his "banjo" specialty frequently. Joseph F. Hortiz, the sweet singer of German songs, will appear in new "picture ballads" and the "lightning bug song," with electrical effects. James McCool has a soldier interlude relative of campaigns, battles and victory. J. M. Woods and J. M. Kane, popular balladists in this home of minstrelsy, have up-to-date ballads and will doubtless receive a warm greeting from numerous admirers. Edwin Goldrick, the celebrated basso, resumes his place in the best vocal department in minstrelsy. J. M. Dempsey, a popular tenor, is also in this singing contingent. Frank Dumont will officiate as interlocutor and display a rare musical instrument called a "melophone," an instrument owned by Fred Buckley, of the great Buckley's Serenaders, so well known years ago. The great company is further augmented by "Dick" Lilly (Richard P. Lilly), John Armstrong, Clifton Wood, Frank Setaro, C. V. Fischer, Gus Benedict, Charles Simpkins, Joseph Perry and Perry, Jr., Master Tony Hunting, W. Thompson and a large orchestra, making the grandest aggregation of minstrel stars in the world. As a compliment to the Grand Army veterans the stirring war songs of 1861-65 will be sung Saturday, September 9.

Where to Buy Coal.

You cannot go wrong in buying your coal of W. F. Leedom. It is prepared right, it is delivered right, the coal is right, and last but not least your weight is always right. Our scales are balanced by our drivers, who weigh their own wagons, and who weigh their own coal. The public is invited to step on our scales, at any time, themselves and test the matter. They are Fairbank's standard scales and are kept in proper order. I have been here fourteen years and have always conducted my business on this plan. Question any man who is working for me or who has ever worked for me and you will know for yourself. I have never published such statements as "weight guaranteed" from this fact—that I have noticed all the short weight men in the coal business have paraded that notice. I employ good men and pay them living wages, and they weigh all your coal. My clerk and I never weigh any coal unless we have a new driver, and this is seldom, as men who are used right do not change places if they do right. We are selling stove, chestnut and egg for $5.00 for 2000 pounds, or $5 50 for 2240 pounds. Nice No. 2 chestnut coal for $3 50.

WALTER F. LEEDOM.

John C. Stuckert's Sunday School class and a number of their friends enjoyed a trolley ride to Langhorne and return last evening. There were 92 persons in the party. The car left Bristol at 8 o'clock and returned about 10 p. m.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Advertisements under this head will be inserted for half-a-cent a word. No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

LOST—Small pocketbook containing cards and large amount of money. Finder will be suitably rewarded for return, or information leading to return of same to CHINA HALL, Croydon.

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The "Press" and the G. A. R.

Philadelphia has always been a Grand Army town and the approaching annual meeting of the Grand Army promises to outdo any recent gathering in number, in enthusiasm and in full, patient and costly preparation for the welcome, the comfort and the convenience of the city's guests.

Each step in public preparation and pageant will be chronicled in "the Press." Committee meetings, plans, programmes, reunions, formal and informal gatherings, stated meetings and special assemblages will all have a space, attention, detail and accuracy equaled by no other paper. As always on these occasions, "The Press" will give all the views in the best way and in the fullest manner.

But much remains. Personal reunions between man and man are not less important than public. Individual meetings count for as much as the great throngs which will march in procession and gather in the Academy. Many a man will come to this great assemblage of his comrades thirty-four years ago anxious first and chiefly to meet some one comrade unseen for a generation.

"The Press" proposes accordingly to throw its columns open in aid of every such man. From now until the end of the Grand Army Encampment "The Press" will print free of charge all personal requests and announcements by any comrade directly relating to any other comrade, or lost equipment, army service, etc. Beside printing all the news of the Encampment "The Press" desires, in order to make it successful, to open its columns freely to all such announcements by individual comrades which will aid in enabling them to meet each other, to find each other and to enjoy to the utmost this great gathering, to so many comrades their last assembly before taps are beaten. We take a sincere pleasure, from now on, in offering our columns to each individual Grand Army man for the object and purpose indicated.



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 Than yours this sultry day—a palm leaf fan.
 The traveler journeying on from Karaman
To Cairo, southward, scarcely feels more heat
Than we at home—there the dark sandaled feet
 And the swart turbaned faces African
 Scorch on their camels in the caravan—
While here today men drop upon the street.

In curtained coolness of this quiet room,
 With half closed eyes, I lean back in my chair
 And, slowly fanning, tread a land of dreams.
I seem to scent the Arabian roses' bloom,
 Soft gales of Ceylon reach me from her streams,
And Persian zephyrs stir the silent air.
 —Lloyd Mifflin in Collier's Weekly.

THE MONSTER OCTOPUS.

Its Methods of Catching and Disposing of Its Food.

Never before has it fallen to my lot to see the terrible monster we encountered on the passage from San Francisco toward Nanaimo in the bark Willscott of Honolulu.

We knew that the octupus grew to an immense size, as Banks and Solander, who accompanied Captain Cook in his first voyage around the world, found the dead carcass of one floating on the water to the westward of Cape Horn. It was supposed to be 20 by 80 feet, the body only. The tentacles were hanging under water. It was surrounded by myriads of birds, which were feeding greedily on its remains. Pliny also mentions a similar monster having eight arms 80 feet long and a corresponding girth, and many other writers too numerous to mention have certified to its actual existence. But I did not believe that anything similar to the terrible "devilfish" described by Victor Hugo was really in existence until I had ocular demonstration of the fact on this passage.

Its eyes were large, of a greenish tint and somewhat protruding. Its mouth, however, was not so very large, and it appeared to be shaped like a parrot's bill. Its tentacles were tapering and, like its body, of a grayish color, covered with spots. It appeared to possess the chameleonlike power of changing the color of these spots in a most extraordinary manner as fast as the eye could detect the changes. They varied from a very rich crimson to a dark, dull brown, these changes no doubt indicating the high state of excitement under which the creature was at the time.

Suddenly the octopus discharged a huge jet of a dark colored fluid full into the eyes of the sunfish, and then, rushing forward with the rapidity of an arrow, it encircled its prey with the long tentacles, and in another moment the victor and the vanquished had disappeared below the surface of the water.

In a few moments more we had sailed right over the scene and found the water was colored almost black for a space of fully 200 feet in diameter, and we noticed an odor slightly resembling iodine rising from the water. Our patent log line of snow white cotton, which was towing astern, was colored almost black, and it has not yet assumed its white freshness, although it has towed in the water fully 800 miles since the above episode.

About 20 minutes after we had passed over this spot we saw the huge creature again on the surface enjoying its meal in a very leisurely manner, rolling the body of the unfortunate sunfish over and over and biting off large mouthfuls with its cruel looking beak.

I knew before that these huge octopods and their relatives, the decapods, were not altogether mythical, as they have at the National museum in Washington a papier mache cast of one of the latter, which was found stranded on the north shore of Trinity bay, Newfoundland, on the 22d day of September, 1877. The total length of this specimen, including tentacles, was only 60 feet, so it is quite safe to infer that it had not become of age when it was wrecked.—San Francisco Call.

Two Queer Drugs.

Of the two queerest drugs in the world the one called "ezcal" is the one most to be avoided. It is a South American product and made by the tropical Indians there.

A grain of it will make you feel the need of violent exertion, and once you begin there is no stopping. You walk till you die. Moreover, you do not walk straight ahead, but in a little circle of two or three yards diameter. You tramp wildly and steadily on, seeing nothing and not suffering actual pain, but with all your nerves on fire and your brain spinning. You do not stop walking till you drop dead in your tracks. The extreme vitality is kept up till the last moment. Some of the Indians have a way of dosing their captives with this drug, sitting around the victim while he walks.

The other drug is a European product called "vinard" and also acts on the brain. A common result of this drug when taken in any quantity is to cause an insane desire—in an educated man, at any rate—to do sums. It develops the arithmetical powers to a wonderful extent, though only for a short time. The victim's chief desire is to get hold of pencil and paper, and once this is done he scribbles figures, sometimes making attempts at adding them up, but never getting them right. Presently the figures become mere scrawls, and the usual result is death or insanity. It is well known to men of science and is used in some kinds of medicine by homeopathists.—St. Louis Republic.

Irish Smartness.

"Bad luck to them Afraydees," said a Dublin carman the other day when an officer handed him a shilling after driving from Richmond barracks to the Kildare Street club. "Why?" asked the officer. "Sure they've killed all the gentlemen that was in the army." The officer was so pleased with the veiled insult that he doubled the fare.

"Why are Irishman always laying bare the wrongs of their country?" asked some one in the house. "Because they want them redressed," thundered Major O'Gorman.

An Irish navvy on the Holyhead boat was complaining of his foreman. "He'd not stir a finger himself to lift a red herring off the gridiron, but he'd ask you to shift the rock o' Gibraltar."—"Macdonagh's Irish Life and Character."

Courtship In Boerland.

The other evening I witnessed among the natives the carrying off of a girl from a location. This carrying off is called by them ukutwala, and the girl, though not indisposed to accept the man, causes obstacles to be placed in his way. He eventually watches his opportunity, after first placing so many head of cattle in the kraal of the girl's father, and carries her off by main force. The heartrending cries of the bride as she is carried away are something pitiful, a cry that pierces the heart of a Christian, but is a cry of her own, which, being interpreted, means, "Don't take me, but I want to go, for I like it."—Johannesburg Standard.

Expert Recommendations.

Two burglars, after working on a safe all night, acknowledged themselves completely baffled by the new combination and were gathering up their tools in disgust.

"Say, Bill, I'll tell yer how we kin make something out o' this job."

"W'at yer mean?"

"Let's hunt up the manufacturer of this safe and sell him our testimonials."—Ohio State Journal.

A Business Axiom.

The firms that in a few years have risen from small beginnings to affluence have generally done so by the aid of judicious advertising from the very commencement of their enterprise.—Clothiers' and Haberdashers' Weekly.

Do not waste any time over the notion that you are sadly misunderstood. It may be better for you if you are.—Galveston News.

If some people were like other people, there would be no people like some people.—Boston Courier.

A LIVELY LITTLE HOTEL.

Some of the Extraordinary Things That Happened There.

"The greatest man for anecdotes that I ever heard of," said the traveling salesman, "was a hotel keeper in Julian, Neb. He kept a small place, but there certainly had been a number of strange incidents within its walls, if you were to believe the proprietor. I don't say the man lied, but he certainly did some remarkable tricks with the truth. The first night I met him he nearly knocked my eye out, his talks being somewhat as follows:

"'Hotel keeping is a strange life, and we have to put up with a great many things to please our guests. I remember one night an old fellow with a bronzed complexion came into the hotel and asked for a room. He was accommodated, but staid up stairs only a few minutes, after which he came down and said that he was a sea captain and could not sleep in such a quiet room. Don't you know that I had to put him into a room next to the bathroom and keep the water turned on full at night so that he could sleep?

"'But that's nothing to the trouble I had one day when an Indian medicine show struck this town. They had a troupe of Eskimo. That fellow was a bird. They said he was from Greenland, but he was not so green, I can tell you. He was all wrapped up in furs, although the weather was warm. I put him into a nice comfortable room, and he kept the bell ringing continually, ordering absinth frappe every few minutes. Finally the manager of the show, who went up to see why the Eskimo was drinking so much, came down and told me that the little fellow was trying to get cold and couldn't sleep in that hot room. Don't you know that before we could get that fellow comfortable we had to put him to bed in the refrigerator!

"'That was a fearful night, and I'll never forget it. They had a trained bear with the show, and that animal was trained, let me tell you. About an hour after supper (the bear ate in the dining room just like the other folks, sitting in a chair) the bear ups and walks into the bar. The man who trained it told us to give the bear some bottled beer. Well, the bartender made a mistake and put up ginger ale and lost an ear by his foolishness. You wouldn't believe it, but that bear drank 27 bottles of beer without turning a hair. It didn't even make him talkative.

"'As I said before, that was a fearful night. The other things were bad enough, but when one of the small snakes got loose and crawled up the speaking tube we were nearly out of our senses. The bells kept ringing and the tubes whistling, but no one had the nerve to answer the call. A man who put his ear to one of those tubes was liable to have the snake come out and bite him. We never did use the tubes any more, but put in electric bells next week.'"—Baltimore Sun.

NIAGARA FALLS EXCURSIONS.

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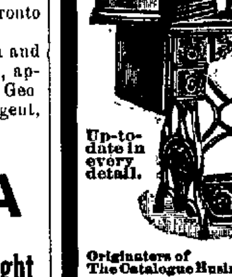
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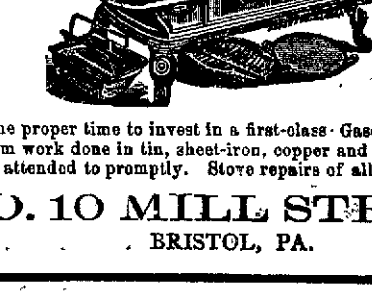
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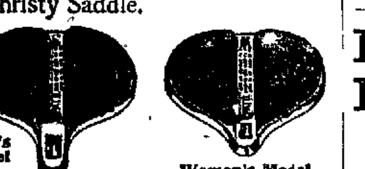
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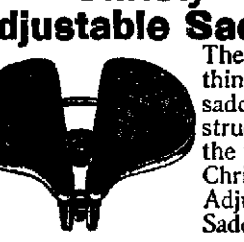


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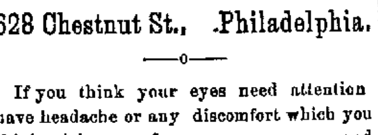


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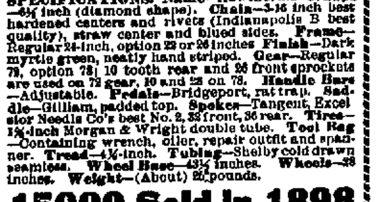
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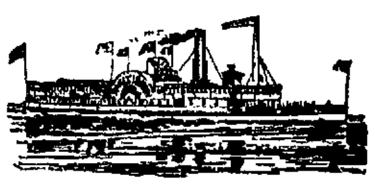


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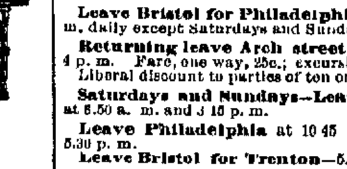
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Leave Burlington—*7 00, *7 30, 8.25, 9.15, 10.05, 10 55, 11.30 a m, 1 00, 1 55, 2 45, 3 .5, 4 25, 5 15, 5 45, 6.55, 7.30 p. m.

SATURDAYS.

Leave Bristol—*6 45, *7 15, 8 00, 8 50, 9 40 10 30, 11 15 a m; 12 25, 1.00, 1 40, 2 20, 3.00, 3 40, 4 20, 5 00 5.40, 6 45, 7.40, *11 00 p m

Leave Burlington—*7.00, *7.30, 8 25, 9 15, 10 05, 10.55, 11 30 a m; 12 40, 1 20 2.00, 2.10, 3.20, 4.00, 4.40, 5 20, 5.50, 7 05, 7.50, *11.10 p. m.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Bristol—8 00, 8 40, 9.20, 10.00, 10.40, 11 15 a. m.; 12 20, 1 00, 1.40, 2.20, 3 00, 3 40, 4.20, 5.00, 5.40, 6 45, 7 40, *10.00 p m

Leave Burlington—8 20, 9 00, 9 40, 10 20, 11 00, 11.30 a. m.; 12 40, 1 20, 2 00, 2.40, 3 20, 4.00, 4 40, 5.20, 5 50, 7.05, 7.50, *10 10 p. m.

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Sunday Trains—*2.46, 7.00, *8.11, 9.00, *10.29 *11.56 A. M. 12 54, 5.10, 5.36, *7.21, 8.00, *8.20, 8.50, 9.17, *10 58 P. M.

Leave Phila. (Broad St.) **for Bristol**, *3.20, 6.09, 6.28, *6.50, 7.39, *8.30, 8.33, *9.00, 9.53, and *11.10 A. M. 12.07, 1 10, 1.50, 2.48, 3.33, *3.52, 4.29, *5.00, 5.02, 5.19, *6.00, 6.02, 6.21, 7.12, 9.17, *10.00, 11.18 P. M. 12.01 midnight.

Sunday Trains—3 20, 7.40, *8.30, 8.33, 9 06 A. M.; 12.07, 2.02, *5 20, 6.00, *6.26, *6.85, 8.13, *10.00, 10.25 P. M. 12.01 midnight.

Leave Bristol for Trenton, week days, 1.05, *4.00, 7.08, *7.28, 8 34, *9 00, 9.22, *9.34, 10.50, 11.55 A. M. 2.00, *2.16, 2.48, 3.40, *4.28, *5.33, 6.15, *6.41, 7.00, 8.07, 10.11 and *10.86 P. M. 12.08 night.

Sunday Trains—1.05, *4 00, *9.09, 9.22, and 10.04 A. M. 3.00, *3.05, *5.57, *7.09, 7.14, *10.35 and 11.22 P. M.

Leave Trenton for Bristol, weekdays—2.27, 6 30, 7.00, *7.59, 8.05, *9 05, 9.82, *10.18, 11.44 A. M. 12.30, *12.57, *2.30, 2.45, 2.51, 3.46, 5.25, 6.40, *7 18, *7.30, 8.10, 9 00 and 10.43 P. M.

Sunday Trains—*2.27, 7.56, 9.10, 10.13, 11.42 A. M. 12.30, 4.51, 7.00, *8.03, 8.30, 9.00 10.43 P. M.

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Leave Bristol for New York—*1.05, *4 00, *7 28, 9.22, 11.55 A. M, *2.16, *5.38, *6.41, *10.86 P. M.

Sunday Trains—*1.05, *4 00, 9.22 A. M, *3.05, *5.57, *7.14, *10 35 P. M.

Leave New York for Bristol—West 23rd Street Station—*6.10, *7.25, *8.25, 10.55 A. M. 12 55, 4.25, 6 55, *8.55 P. M. 12.10 night.

Sunday Trains—*6.10, *8.25, 9.55 A M. 4.55, 6.55, *8.55 P. M. *12.10 night.

From Desbrosses Street Station—*6.20, *7.30, *8.30, 11.00 A. M. 1.00, 4.40, 7.00, *9.00 P. M. *12.15 night.

Sunday Trains—*6.15, *8.30, 10.00 A. M. 6 00, 7.00, *9 00 P. M. *12.15 night.

From Courtlandt Street Station—*6.20, *7.30, *8.30, 11.00 A. M. 1.00, 4.38, 7.00, *9.00 P. M. *12.15 night.

Sunday Trains—*6.15, *8 30, 10.00 A. M. 5.00, 7 00, *9.00 P. M. *12.15 night.

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